



AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER			Docket No. 65857-0037
Application No. 09/993,996-Conf. #8824	Filing Date November 14, 2001	Examiner Dunwoody, Aaron M.	Art Unit 3679

Applicant(s): Bernd Halbrock, et al

Invention: QUICK-CONNECT DEVICE

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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Independent Claims	4	- 3 =	1	x 84.00	84.00
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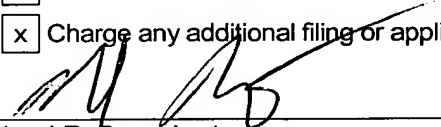
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☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
1001	2001	750	375			Utility filing fee	
1002	2002	330	165			Design filing fee	
1003	2003	520	260			Plant filing fee	
1004	2004	750	375			Reissue filing fee	
1005	2005	160	80			Provisional filing fee	
SUBTOTAL (1) (\$)							0.00

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
21	-20** = 1	18	18.00
4	-3** = 1	84	84.00
Multiple Dependent			

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description
1202	2202	18	9			Claims in excess of 20
1201	2201	84	42			Independent claims in excess of 3
1203	2203	280	140			Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
1204	2204	84	42			** Reissue independent claims over original patent
1205	2205	18	9			** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

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FEE CALCULATION (continued)

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

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1051	2051	130	65			Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
1052	2052	50	25			Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet.	
1053	2053	130	130			Non-English specification	
1812	2520	1812	2,520			For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
1804	920*	1804	920*			Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
1805	1,840*	1805	1,840*			Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
1251	2251	110	55			Extension for reply within first month	
1252	2252	410	205			Extension for reply within second month	
1253	2253	930	465			Extension for reply within third month	
1254	2254	1,450	725			Extension for reply within fourth month	
1255	2255	1,970	985			Extension for reply within fifth month	
1401	2401	320	160			Notice of Appeal	
1402	2402	320	160			Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1403	2403	280	140			Request for oral hearing	
1451	2451	1,510	1,510			Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
1452	2452	110	55			Petition to revive - unavoidable	
1453	2453	1,300	650			Petition to revive - unintentional	
1501	2501	1,300	650			Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
1502	2502	470	235			Design issue fee	
1503	2503	630	315			Plant issue fee	
1460	2460	130	130			Petitions to the Commissioner	
1807	2807	50	50			Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
1806	2806	180	180			Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
8021	28021	40	40			Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
1809	2809	750	375			Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))	
1810	2810	750	375			For each additional invention to be examined (37CFR 1.129(b))	
1801	2801	750	375			Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
1802	2802	900	900			Request for expedited examination of a design application	

Other fee (specify)

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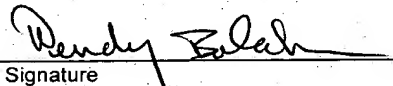
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed June 12, 2003, please find a complete listing of all the claims amended for the above identified application as follows.

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